BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of American Meat Institute - PAC)		MUR	5109
American Meat Institute - PAC) .	RAD Referral	111011	
and Sara J. Lilygren, as)	#00NF-08		
treasurer.)			

CERTIFICATION

- I, Mary W. Dove, Acting Secretary of the Federal Election Commission, do hereby certify that on October 2, 2000 the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in RAD Referral #00NF-08:
 - 1. Open a MUR.
 - 2. Find reason to believe that American Meat Institute PAC and Sara J. Lilygren, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a)(4)(A)(i), and enter into conciliation with Respondents prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
 - 3. Approve the proposed Factual and Legal Analysis, conciliation agreement and the appropriate letter, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated September 26, 2000.

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Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Sandstrom, Smith, Thomas, and Wold voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Acting Secretary of the

Commission

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Deadline for vote:

Mon., Oct. 02, 2000 4:00 p.m.

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